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THE WEEKLY VIRGINIAN AND CAROLINIAN,  
eight pages, is delivered, postage paid,  
three months, 25c; six months, 50c; twelve  
months, \$1.

A bill has been introduced in the  
Illinois Legislature to tax bachelors for  
the purpose of maintaining an Old  
Maids' Home. Verily, the bachelor-  
man has a hard time.

It is not wholly out of the range of  
possibility that if Spain should fail to  
adopt a more polite demeanor she will  
wake up some morning to find Cuba  
missing, says an exchange.

THE VIRGINIAN is indebted to Capt.  
George G. Cummings, the secretary of  
the Virginia State Firemen's Association,  
for copies of the proceedings of  
the eight annual convention of the asso-  
ciation at Portsmouth, Va., June, 1894.

A distinguished English physician,  
Sir Benjamin Richardson, calculates the  
normal period of human life at 110  
years, and fails to understand why  
seven out of ten average people do not  
live that long if they take proper care  
of themselves.

If the Pilot will refer to the files of  
THE VIRGINIAN and its utterances on  
the Goodridge amended liquor ordi-  
nance it will find it expressed no un-  
certain views on the subject. It de-  
manded that every feature favorable to  
the continuance of dives and dens or  
protection of their existence should be  
removed from the ordinance, and by  
so doing protect the city and the re-  
spectable liquor dealers from discredit  
and reproach. It asserted that the  
people of Norfolk wanted and required  
the suppression of the liquor dive and  
den and a strict observance of the  
Sunday liquor law. It makes no dif-  
ference who proposes in the Councils an  
ordinance restricting the sale of liquor  
in the residential section or improper  
locations, or the abatement of the  
number of drinking establishments to  
the square, as in Washington or Phila-  
delphia. THE VIRGINIAN will earnestly  
approve such a measure.

## THE WHITE HOUSE.

A correspondent asks the Montgom-  
ery, Ala., Advertiser why it is that the  
President's mansion at Washington is  
called "The White House," and that  
paper playfully replies by saying "be-  
cause it is painted white." Of course  
the correspondent is at once pleased  
and edified with the reply of our con-  
temporary. Mr. Geo. C. McCormick,  
an esteemed friend of the Advertiser at  
Eufaula, Fla., however, gives what ap-  
pears to be the correct reason, as fol-  
lows:

"The White House takes its name  
from its original owner, a Mr. White,  
who sold it to the United States Gov-  
ernment. True, the house is painted  
white, and so far as I am informed it  
has always been so painted, but this  
fact has nothing whatever to do with  
the name."

This little bit of history is interest-  
ing.

## LI HUNG CHANG.

It is not fair to hold the Japanese, as  
a nation, responsible for the attempted  
assassination of Li Hung Chang in the  
streets of Simonoseki, while the aged  
diplomat was on a peaceful mission to  
that country. It is quite certain that  
the Japanese Government would have  
gone to any length to have protected  
the envoy from personal harm. It is  
true the act of the fanatic who at-  
tempted the crime was most horrible,  
yet such people develop even in the  
most civilized countries, and sometimes  
in times of peace, and it is not always  
wholly possible to prevent them.

In this country we have seen a Chief  
Magistrate struck down by a fanatic,  
and but a few months since the Presi-  
dent of France was made the victim of  
the assassin's knife.

Both crimes were committed at a  
time of profound peace, and what folly  
it would have been to have laid the  
responsibility at the door of either na-

tion. There can be no question but  
that the attempt upon the life of the  
Chinese Ambassador will embarrass  
the Japanese Government in the set-  
tlement of peace conditions, and there  
can be no question about the act being  
seized upon to their disadvantage, but  
they, as a nation, should not be held  
responsible.

## INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS SOUTH.

Reports to the Tradesman, of Chat-  
tanooga, Tenn., from all over the South  
for the week ending March 25th, show  
that the condition of affairs generally  
has been improved.

The Tradesman's list of new mills  
and enlargements for the week is as  
follows:

Mills with \$100,000 capital at Green-  
ville, Hickory Grove and Walterboro,  
S. C.; with \$50,000 capital at Mock-  
ville, N. C., and others at Huntersville  
and Piedmont, Ala.; Shreveport, La.,  
Tupelo, Miss., Rutherfordton, N. C.,  
Cheraw and Newberry, S. C. Enlarge-  
ments of cotton mills are to be made at  
Dalton, Ga., Henrietta and Seneca, S.  
C., and Trenton, Tenn.

Among the new industries reported  
by the Tradesman, established, or in-  
corporated, in the Southern States dur-  
ing the week, are:

A \$300,000 improvement and develop-  
ment company, to do business in  
Tennessee; a \$100,000 telephone con-  
struction company at Louisville, Ky.,  
and a \$100,000 hat factory at Wheel-  
ing, W. Va. A compress, with \$75,000  
capital will be built at Cuero,  
Texas; a \$50,000 woodenware factory  
is reported at Portsmouth, Va., and a  
wagon factory with \$25,000 capital at  
Chase City, W. Va. Flouring mills  
are to be built at Mineral Wells, Texas,  
and Point Pleasant, W. Va.; ice  
factories at Jonesboro, Ark., Columbus,  
Ga., Brownsville, Tenn., and Radford,  
Va.; phosphate works at Goodrich,  
Tenn., and lumber mills at Carrabelle,  
and Suwanee, Fla., Fort Smith, Ark.,  
Atlanta, Ga., Hopkinsville, Ky., and  
Alexandria, La.

Thus it is the South continues to  
push ahead. Its future is bright, its  
prospects unsurpassed by any other  
section of the great Republic.

## A Woman of Forty Summers.

Full of outline and fair of face  
Swinging her fan with languid grace,  
White arms gleaming through folds of lace,  
A woman of forty summers.

No thread of white in the Auburn hair,  
No line of age in the forehead fair,  
A life unmarred by touch of care,  
In spite of her forty summers.

A husband lover and children sweet,  
Pleasures to charm and friends to greet,  
Recesses scattered before her feet,  
Through each of her forty summers.

Summers all, for winters bold  
Have snatched her sunshine and made her  
cold.

Have killed her roses and left her old;  
Nothing she knows but summers.

Nothing she knows of hidden cloud,  
Of freezing air and tempests loud,  
Of snows that weave for Hope a shroud;  
Her life has been only summers.

So calm she sits in the balmy air,  
No sorrow to fret, no cross to bear,  
A summer idyl, a vision fair,  
This woman of forty summers.

Yet cold and blast but make us strong—  
After the snow the robin's song,  
To the fullest life by right belong  
The winters as well as summers.

And they whom fame shall carve in stone,  
The women whom men would vainly crown  
Throne,

The women whom God has stamped his  
own.  
Live winters as well as summers.  
—Sarah J. Underwood.

## TURF TOPICS.

Griffin rode over 200 winners last  
year.

Arlington will hold a meeting the  
first week in May.

In Russia the most important events  
are trotted on Sunday.

The Jockey club will move into new  
quarters at 241 Fifth avenue, New York,  
about May 1.

Canada is to have its first national  
horse show at Toronto from April 16 to  
18, inclusive.

If he does not go amiss, Rey of Santa  
Anita will represent California in the  
Brooklyn Handicap.

In the years 1893 and 1894 the sons  
and daughters of McGrathiana stud  
farm won \$710,496.

Father Bill Daly has sold the chest-  
nut horse Bolero, by Rayon d'Or, out  
of All Hands Round, to W. S. Simpson,  
Palmer, Ills.

Barney Schreiber, who is a very big  
man in the western racing world, was  
only a few years ago a porter in a Kan-  
sas City store.

Application made to the Jockey club  
for a license to conduct a running meet-  
ing at Franklin park, Saugus, Mass.,  
from May 14 to 18, inclusive, has been  
granted.

The programmes for Lexington's  
spring meeting are out. The meeting  
will last from April 27 to May 5, and  
almost \$20,000 will be given in stakes  
and purses.

Colonel Jack Chinn's Kentucky stable  
was the largest winner at the meet-  
ing of the California Jockey club. Dur-  
ing the first three months his horses  
won \$13,380.

Ed Corrigan's new San Francisco rac-  
ing venture has been incorporated un-  
der the title of the Pacific Coast Jockey  
club, with Corrigan and Adolph B.  
Spreckels at the head of affairs.

## STAGE GLINTS.

E. S. Willard will not visit this coun-  
try next season.

Harry Brown has joined the "Prince  
Pro Tem" company.

De Koven and Smith's "Rob Roy" is  
to be taken to Scotland and London.

Rubenstein's will shows that he has  
left \$300,000 to his widow and children.

"An M. P.'s Wife," the new play at  
the Opera Comique, London, is a fail-  
ure.

The total deficiency of the Lyric Thea-  
ter company, London, is fixed at over  
\$300,000.

Low Rosen has written a farcical  
comedy which he has christened "The  
Ballet Girl."

Victory Bateman has received an offer  
to appear in Charles Frohman's produc-  
tion, "The Racing Duchess," next sea-  
son.

Cordie Dargos has joined Milton  
Nobles for the rest of the season to play  
the ingenue part in "From Sire to  
Son."

It is said that Julia Arthur has had  
several offers to return to New York,  
but that she has decided to remain in  
London.

Minnie Seligman is said to be contem-  
plating the production of an adaptation  
from a German realistic play called  
"The Fallen Angel."

John Havocock has written a one act  
farce entitled "A Cold Welcome" and  
is at work on a comedy with Napoleon  
as the central character.

Albin Valabregue, the French dram-  
atist, is a trifle eccentric. He has just  
published a book entitled "A Philoso-  
pher of the Twentieth Century."

The New York Mercury is raising  
funds by a popular subscription to erect  
in this city a statue of Patrick Sarsfield  
Gilmore, the deceased bandmaster.

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# MORE TAILORING TALK!

Level-headed people have long since learned that it  
pays only to deal with the best places.

The Cheap John Tailor rarely ever measures the same  
man the second time.

Made to order doesn't always mean made to fit. It is  
well to understand it.

Measure Made Garments here are up to the highest  
notch of perfection.

## SAVE YOUR DOLLARS.

Any man with half an eye towards economy can readily  
see the numerous advantages in his favor by placing his  
orders for measure-made attire here.

The materials come to us direct from first hands and  
middlemen's profit on every particle of trimmings are thus  
avoided.

Make a test of it. The samples of the work in the  
tailor shop show for themselves. Compare the prices and  
the grade of workmanship with what you are in the habit  
of paying.

The Style, Cut and Finish of the Garments embody  
that standard of excellence that counts real value for gen-  
eral satisfaction.

Keep the fact well before you. Garments made here  
must fit perfectly, otherwise not permitted to leave the  
premises.

Building Business in this Tailoring Department on  
Sound Business Principles.

## MADE ITS MARK.

Not a single suit this season but what has sold another.  
A Good Fit on a man's back in the tailoring business  
is worth a page of newspaper talk.

One customer sends another. There lies the secret of  
success of the growth of the Tailoring Department.

Elegance, Economy and Artistic Work is a strong  
combination.

## NEW SPRING STYLES.

All of the patterns of piece goods are BRIGHT, New  
and Fresh. No back numbers nor undesirable weaves in  
the line.

The West Window shows a few of the effects in  
Choice Worsteds and Cheviots.

Imported Diagonals, Tricots, Silk Mixtures, Serges,  
Batistes and Drap "Tedes from the most Celebrated Foreign  
Weavers are embodied in this range this season for meas-  
ure-made-to order work.

Particular folks and correct dressers, who want their  
clothes to appear just so, are especially requested to see  
this shape of garment as it is produced here before leaving  
their orders elsewhere.

## THE MOST APPROVED SHAPE.

Three Button Cutaway English Walking Coats with  
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the younger gentlemen for dress wear.

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## DO YOU EAT BEEF?

Of course you do. But have you tried one of our JUCY ROUNDS OF STEAKS. If  
not, do so. We keep the best, not only BEEF, but all kinds of FRESH MEATS. People  
who buy from us once, rarely leave us. Suppose you try us.

J. S. BELL, JR. & CO., Arcade Market, Corner Queen and Church Sts. Phone 633.

**SPARKLING CHAMPAGNE CIDER!**  
A HEALTHY DRINK FOR WINTER OR SUMMER. Made of Pure Fruits.

Keeps any length of time. A delicious drink. Sold in bulk or by bottle. All first-  
class grocers keep it. Out of town orders will receive prompt attention.

CHAS. H. PLUMMER, Prop'r,  
Works Corner Avenue B and Church Street.

\$10 GOLD FILLED WATCH \$10 WITH ELGIN OR WALTHAM MOVEMENT \$10  
Guaranteed \$10 Fifteen Years.

J. BENNETT, Diamond Broker and Jeweler, No. 110 Church St.

Liberal advances made on all kinds of Jewelry, and all  
transactions strictly confidential.

**IMPERIAL HOTEL and RESTAURANT, 173 Main St.,**  
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.

Everything first-class. Bar stocked with the best and the restaurant furnishes the  
best in season. LYNHAYEN OYSTERS a specialty. Service the very best.

**GREGORY & WESTON.**  
RUPTURE OF MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Permanently Cured in Thirty Days.  
No Knife. No Pain. No Money Until Cured.

Atlantic Hotel, Every Wednesday from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.,  
Beginning February 6, 1895.

CONSULTATION FREE. **NORFOLK RUPTURE CURE COMPANY,**

Private diseases of whatever nature, yield readily. Female diseases of  
all kinds are speedily cured by Clark's Red Cross Electric Natural Medicinal  
Water or Oil.  
Southern Agency—311 Church street.

**FRESH FISH**  
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**OYSTERS, FISH and GAME.**  
Fine Shell and other fish in great variety.  
Retail at 31, 32 and 33 City Fish Market.  
T. A. BULLOCK, Agent.  
DEPOTS—1 and 6 Campbell's Wharf,  
Corner of Washington and Brewer streets.

**CASH WILL TALK,**  
And the corner of Church and Charlotte streets is the place to spend it. If you want

—Fine Beef or a Smithfield Ham—

I have them. Maybe it is FINE FAMILY GROCERIES. If so, see what we have in this  
line. Everything fresh and cheap for cash.  
S. J. WHITEHURST, Agent.

**SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK!**  
Fancy Egg Creamery Butter at 25c per pound.  
Choice Fresh Country Butter at 20c per pound.  
Four pounds French Prunes for 25c.  
Four cans Sugar Corn for 25c.  
Two cans Apples for 25c.  
Two cans Salmon for 25c.  
Phone 209.

Early June Peas, 10c per can.  
Extra large No. 1 Longs, 50c each.  
Fancy Smithfield Ham, at 16c per pound.  
Springfield Ham, at 14c per pound.  
Westphalia Ham, at 12c per pound.

CHAS. A. MORRIS, cor. Church & Holt St.

**East Main Market,**  
EAST MAIN STREET.

Received, to-day large quantities of Poultry, all kinds. A  
full supply of best selected Vegetables, also Fruits, Cheese, Canned Goods, etc. A choice  
California Peaches and Pine Apples, or whatever else you may want to supply your  
table.  
H. SCHLOSS, Proprietor.

**YOU'LL FIND OUT!**

Tribune, Syracuse, Sterling, Elmore, Monarch, Gotham, Road King, Stormer.

When you want a bicycle, please full of cash:  
When you want a bicycle that won't go to smash  
but on your spectacles and read here before.  
There you will find where's the best place to go